## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace paragraph [0046] with:

[0046] However, if in step 606 the WLL\_INCL field is set to "0" in the registration message, origination message, or page response message, indicating that the CD that sent one of these messages is not capable of negative-slot-index paging, the BS interprets, in step 614, the slot cycle index value as being positive, as shown in Table 1. A slot-cycleindex value of "0" causes the BS to page the target CD every 16 slots, or every 1.28 seconds. A slot-cycle-index value of 1 causes the BS to page the target CD every 32 slots, or every 2.56 seconds. A slot-cycle-index value of 2 causes the BS to page the target CD every 64 slots, or every 5.12 seconds. A slot cycle-index-value of 3 causes the 13S to page the target CD every 128 slots, or every 10.24 seconds. Similarly, a slot-cycle-index value of 7 causes the BS to page the target CD every 2048 slot, or every 163.84 seconds, providing a relatively longer slot cycle paging.

TABLE 1

SLOT CYCLE INDEX	WLL INCL	Slot Cycle Length
111	1	Failure condition
100	1	Failure condition
101	1	Failure condition
<del>100</del> -110	1	0.08 s (1 slot)
011	1	0.16 s (2 slots)
010	1	0.32 s (4 slots)
001	1	0.64 s (8 slots)
000	lor 0	1.28 s (16 slots)
.001	0	2.56 s (32 slots)
010	0	5.12 s (64 slots)
011	0	10.24 s (128 slots)
100	0	20.48 s (256 slots)
101	0	40.96 s (512 slots)
110	0	81.92 s (1024 slots)
111	0	163.84 s (2048 slots)